

REMARKS

It is asserted by the Examiner, that the drawings are objected to under 37 C.F.R. § 1.83(a) because "the drawings must show every feature of the invention specified in the claims." [I]n particular, the claimed feature(s) "an insulating resin protective film which covers an upper surface of the sensor electrode." must be shown or canceled from the claim(s).

In response to the Notice of Allowability, and as suggested by the Examiner, Claim 6 has been cancelled which included the claimed feature as noted above. In addition, in view of cancelled Claim 6, no further drawings are necessary for the understanding of the subject matter sought to be patented. Accordingly, withdrawal of the 37 C.F.R. § 1.83(a) objection to the drawings is respectfully requested.

The three-month period of response set in the Notice of Allowability (PTOL 37) expires on December 18, 2006. This submission is on or before this expiration date. If there are any fees due in connection with the filing of this response, please charge those fees to our Deposit Account No. 02-2666. A copy of this sheet is provided for this purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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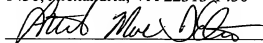


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